## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of:        | )                              |
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|                              | : Examiner: Michael Bernshteyn |
| Koichi Sato, et al.          | )                              |
|                              | : Group Art Unit: 1796         |
| Appln. No.: 10/540,946       | )                              |
|                              | : Confirmation No.: 3824       |
| Filed: June 29, 2005         | )                              |
|                              | :                              |
| For: ALKENYL ETHER COMPOUND, | )                              |
| POLYMER COMPOUND,            | :                              |
| COMPOSITION USING THEM,      | ) October 2, 2008              |
| AND IMAGE FORMATION          | :                              |
| METHOD AND APPARATUS         | )                              |

## Mail Stop Issue Fee

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of a Notice of Allowance dated September 17, 2008, in the above-referenced application. The Issue Fee is due on or before December 17, 2008, and is being paid concurrently herewith.

Applicants respectfully traverse the Reasons for Allowance set forth in the September 17, 2008 Notice of Allowability on the grounds that (a) whereas the Reasons refer to the *first* sworn translation (JP 2003-129997), they should refer to the *second* sworn translation (JP 2003-307618) as discussed at page 6 of the July 28, 2008 Amendment, and (b) whereas the

Reasons refer to Claims 7 and 15 and certain claimed features, those features mentioned are

features of Claim 15; Claim 7, in contrast, does not require the formula (8).

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by

telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address

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